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Henorable Clifford P. Case United States Senate Washington 25, D. C. RS of 10 to 10 to 10 to 15 to

Dear Cliff:

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Thank you for your letter of 15 April 1957, enclosing a letter and memorandum from

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We have looked into this matter, and are in a position to discuss it with you. I have asked my Legislative Counsel, Mr. Norman Paul, to call your office for an appointment. If this arrangement is satisfactory, Mr. Paul will brief you on this matter and return to you at that time the correspondence from

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With kindest regards.

Sincerely,

THE STATE OF

Allen W. Dulles Director

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18 April 1957

MEMORANDUM FOR: The Director

SUBJECT:

Attached Letter to Senator Clifford Case

1. It is recommended that the Director sign the attached letter to Senator Clifford Case.

2. We are suggesting an oral briefing in this case because it will permit a frank discussion with the Senator of the subject matter. I am advised by represents an extreme right wing group which has given no evidence of effectual efforts to date. A representative of Division attended a session at the Pentagon recently where the Colonel presented his case to officials of the Department of the Army. The U. S. Government representatives present have mutually concluded that, without questioning the Colonel's sincerity and purpose, his proposals are exceedingly vague and general in nature and represent nothing new. There does not appear to be any feasibility of developing a long range anti-Soviet undertaking around a nucleus of Czarist emigres. The Colonel is evidently seeking an audience with General Gavin, Deputy Chief of Staff of the Army, and would presumably like to have moral and financial support from the Government. It is unlikely that such an appointment will be arranged.

3. If the Director approves this course of action, I will call the Senator's office and explain the matter to him.

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Norman S. Paul Legislative Counsel

The recommendation is paragraph 3 is approved.

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